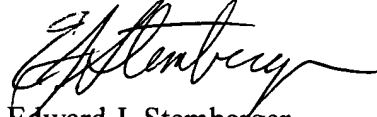


**Remarks**

Reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested. This re-submission of the Amendment to Claims portion of the July 14, 2005 Amendment now includes the listing of claims 1-24 as canceled.

Respectfully submitted,

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